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Letter to Congressional Leaders on Resuming the Powers and Duties of President of the United States June 29, 2002

Dear Mr. Speaker: (Dear Mr. President:)
In accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of the Twenty-Fifth Amendment to the United States Constitution, this letter shall constitute my written declaration that I am presently able to resume the discharge of the Constitutional powers and duties of the office of President of the United States. With the transmittal of this letter, I am resuming those powers and duties effective immediately.

Sincerely,

GEORGE W. BUSH

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